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PINTLAR RANGE

WILDERNESS

DEERLODGE NATIONAL FOREST

Wise River

Wisdom

Jackson

Melrose

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BUTTE DISTRICT
DILLON RESOURCE AREA
OFF-ROAD VEHICLE
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INFORMATION

Please write or call the following Bureau of Land Management offices for additional information on travel restrictions, recreation facilities, fuelwood gathering permits, mining claims processing, and other pertinent information.

Dillon Resource Area Office
P.O. Box 1048
Ibey Building
Dillon, MT 59725
(406) 683-2337

Butte District Office
P.O. Box 3388
Butte Industrial Park
Butte, MT 59701
(406) 723-6561, Ext. 2415

Additional travel restrictions are in effect on adjacent National Forest land. Consult the following ranger stations for more information.

Beaverhead National Forest
P.O. Box 1258
Corner of Highway 91 & Skihi St.
Dillon, MT 59725
(406) 683-2312

Deerlodge National Forest
Federal Building
107 East Granite
Butte, MT 59701
(406) 723-6561

Gallatin National Forest
Federal Building
P.O. Box 130
Bozeman, MT 59715
(406) 587-5271, Ext. 4233

Targhee National Forest
420 North Bridge Street
St. Anthony, ID 83445
(208) 624-3151

EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS

Sheriff

Beaverhead County	683-2383
Deer Lodge County	563-5241
Madison County	843-5351
Silver Bow County	723-8262
Butte and vicinity	911

Report fires to:

Fire Coordination Center	
Bureau of Land Management, Butte	494-5572
Bureau of Land Management	
Butte District Office	723-6561
Dillon Resource Area	683-2337
U.S. Forest Service	
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Report fish and game violations to:

Montana Department of Fish, Wildlife and Parks
(toll free) 1-800-332-6117

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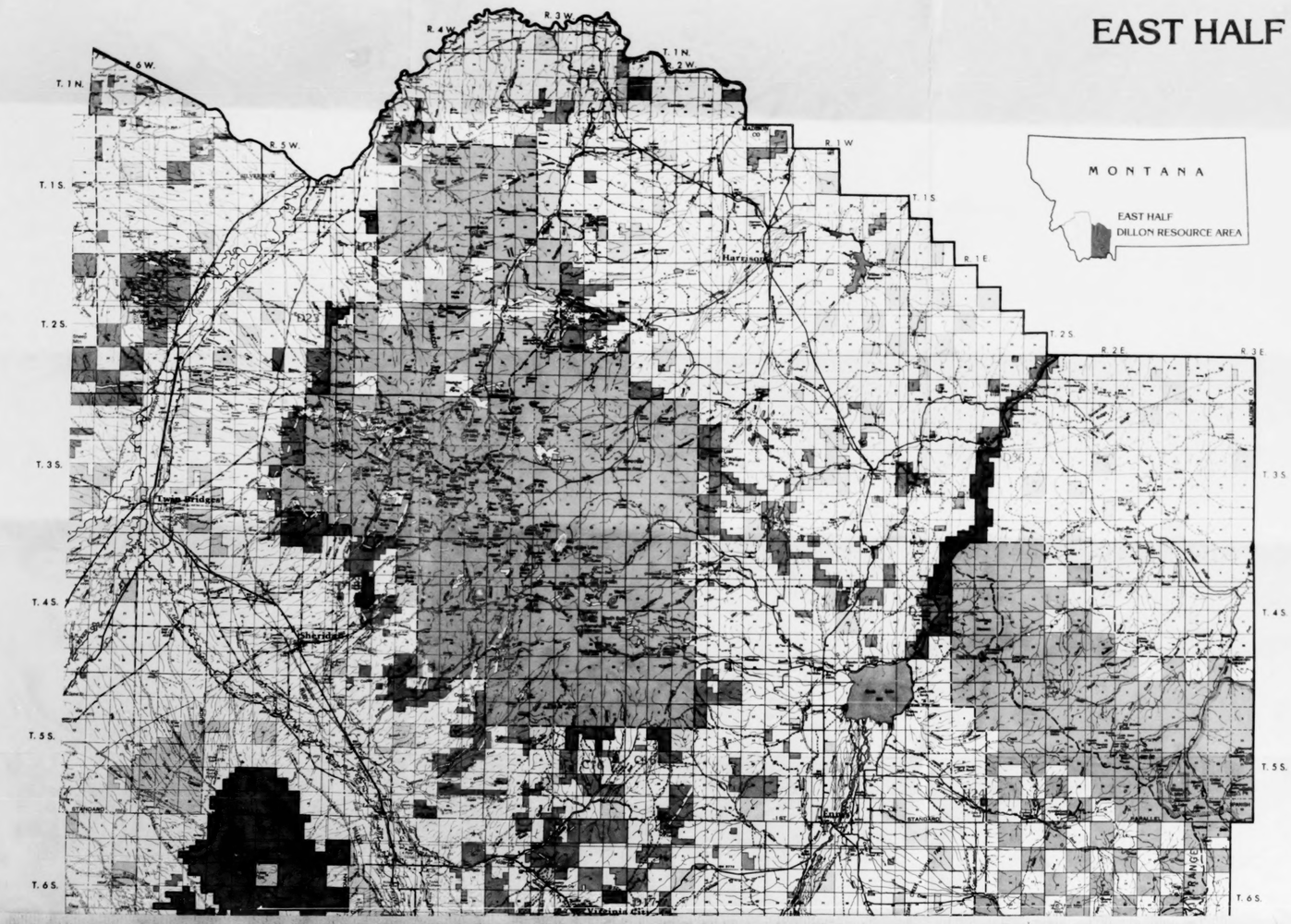

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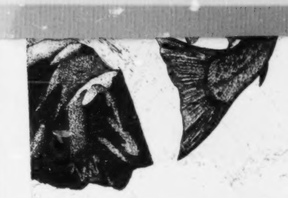

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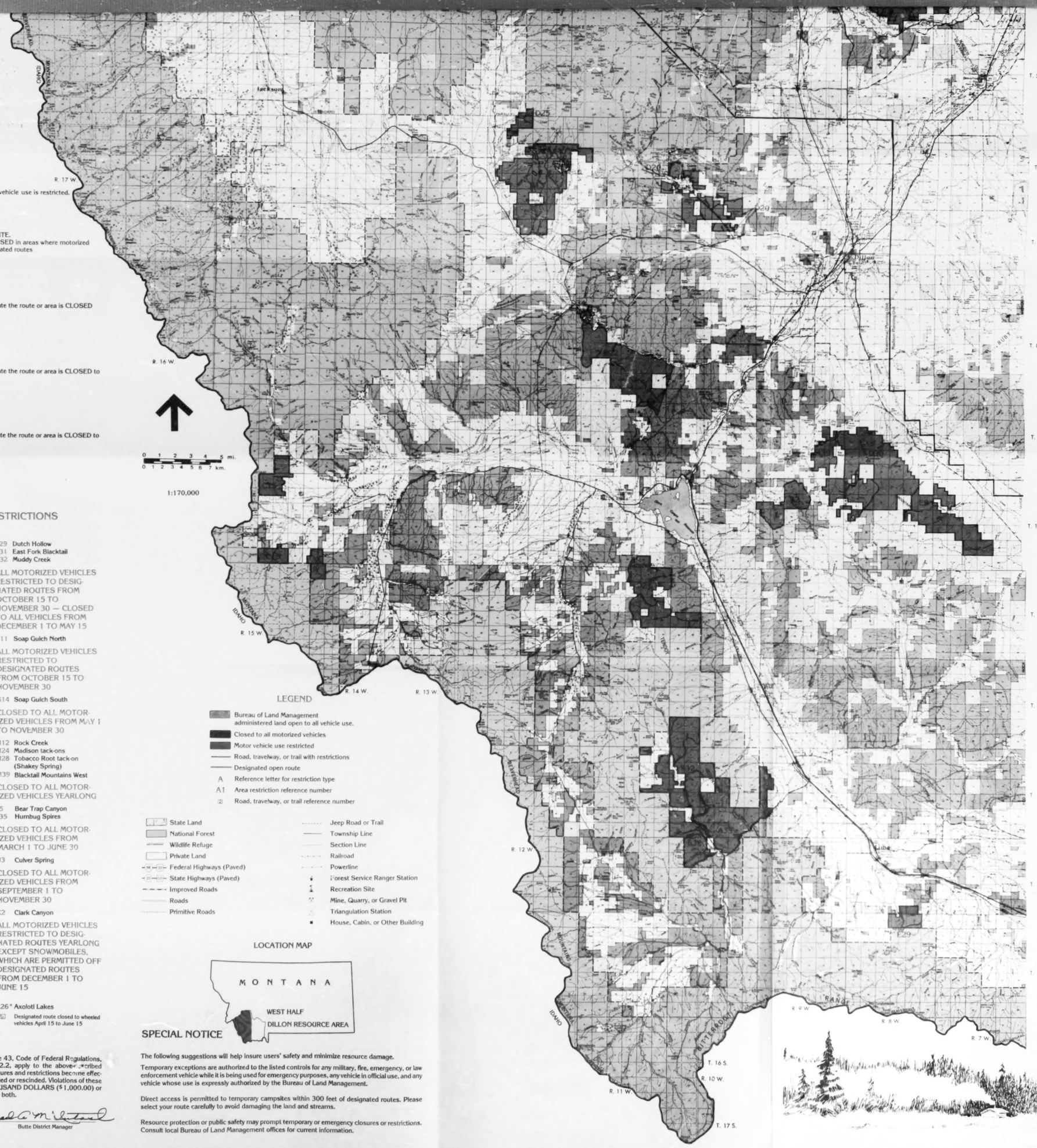

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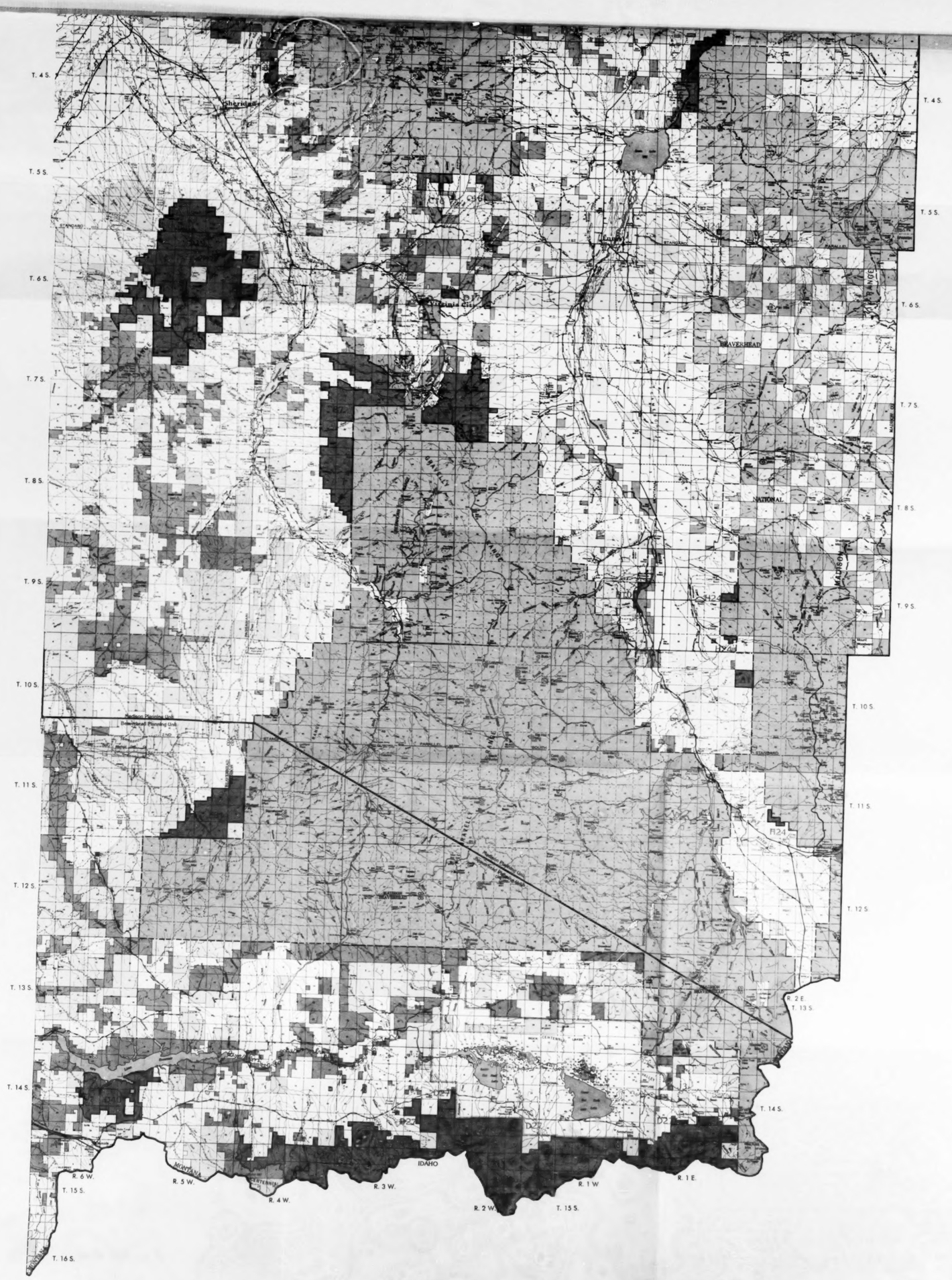

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OUTDOOR TRAVEL TIPS

The following suggestions will help insure users' safety and minimize resource damage.

GOOD MANNERS

- Carry out all that you take in. Do not bury trash.
- Never cut standing vegetation.
- Select a campsite which avoids compacted and heavily used areas, is at least 200 feet from a stream or lakeshore, and is invisible from trails.
- Avoid damaging fragile meadows. Stay on existing roads.
- Do not block gates or roads. Park your vehicle off the road.
- Stay on established roads. Cross-country travel compacts soil and destroys vegetation.
- Always obtain permission from the landowner before crossing private property.
- Protect live vegetation. Small trees and shrubs can easily be damaged if you ride over them.
- Use gates when traveling through fences. Repairs are expensive.
- Avoid disturbing wildlife during winter. Animals are in a critical survival struggle during winter, and any disturbance could be harmful or fatal.
- Snowmobilers should respect other winter sportsmen. Operate at minimum speed near skiers and snowshoers.
- Skiers and snowshoers should yield the right-of-way to snowmobiles.

SAFETY

- Never go alone. Notify someone of your planned route and let them know when you return. Snowmobilers should travel in groups of two and preferably three snowmobiles.
- Be careful with fire. Extinguish all campfires completely before leaving. Montana state law requires that you have an ax, bucket, and shovel in your possession during the fire season.
- Never park in tall grass or brush. Hot vehicle parts can start a forest or range fire.
- Be physically fit to withstand the physical demands of your outing.
- Learn to read a compass and map.
- Winter travel can be very harsh if you are not prepared. Select the proper combination of clothes. Clothing should be windproof and water repellent. Layers of clothing work best.
- Snowmobilers must know how to make routine repairs. Carry extra gas, tools, and spare parts.
- Snowmobilers should carry snowshoes or skis in case of breakdown.
- Carry emergency survival gear—extra socks, mittens, cap, waterproof matches, fire starter, knife high energy food, first aid kit, space blanket, and plastic tarp.
- If lost or injured, stay calm and decide on a plan.
- Distress Signals — three smokes, three blasts of a whistle, three shouts, three of anything that will attract attention.